



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Minoru Noguchi et al.

Application No.: 09/635,235

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Examiner: K. Vijayakumar

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For: ELECTRODE FOR ELECTRIC DOUBLE-LAYER CAPACITOR, AND SLURRY FOR FORMING THE SAME

RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

November 5, 2002

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed July 5, 2002, the period for response being extended one month from October 5, 2002 to November 5, 2002 by the attached one-month Petition for Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend claim 3 as follows:

3. (Amended) An electrode for an electric double-layer capacitor according to claim 2, wherein said active material is fibrous meso-phase activated carbon.

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REMARKS

The Office Action dated July 5, 2002 has been received and carefully noted. The above amendments to the claims, and the following remarks are submitted as a full and complete response thereto. Claim 3 is amended. No new matter is presented. Consideration of claims 2 and 3 is respectfully requested.

Claim 3 is objected to because of an informality. By the amendment, claim 3 is amended to overcome the objection. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request the